

# NCLB Seminar(s) Agenda

## Conference #1 (February 20, 2004)

### Basic Overview, Assessments, Standards & AYP

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 - 10:00 Overview and how we got here
- 10:00 - 11:00 Assessments and state standards
- A. Current NH standards and assessments
  - B. Standards and assessments in development
- 11:00 – 11:15 Break
- 11:15 – 12:15 Adequate Yearly Progress
- A. How it is defined and measured in New Hampshire
  - B. Safe harbor provisions
- 12:15 – 1:00 Working lunch, panel discussion, and Q & A

## Conference #2 (March 5, 2004)

### Accountability

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 – 10:00 Schools in Need of Improvement
- A. How to avoid becoming a school in need of improvement in New Hampshire
  - B. Persistently dangerous schools under NCLB and New Hampshire law
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break
- 10:15 – 11:45 Requirements for Schools in Need of Improvement
- A. Improvement Plans
  - B. School Choice
  - C. Supplemental Services
  - D. Notification requirements
- 11:45 – 12:15 New Hampshire's Accountability law
- 12:15 – 1:00 Working lunch, panel discussion, and Q & A

## Conference # 3 (April 2, 2004)

### Highly Qualified Teachers and Paraprofessionals

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 – 10:00 Requirements for highly qualified teachers under NCLB in New Hampshire
- 10:00 – 11:00 Requirements for paraprofessionals under NCLB in New Hampshire
- 11:00 – 11:15 Break
- 11:15 – 12:15 Effects on personnel in schools in need of improvement, parental notification requirements for teacher qualifications.
- 12:15 – 1:00 Working lunch, panel discussion and Q & A

## Conference #4 (April 23, 2004)

### IDEA, ESL and NCLB

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration and breakfast
- 9:00 – 10:30 IDEA and NCLB
- A. Assessment, Standards, Accommodations and modifications under NCLB and IDEA
  - B. Adequate Yearly Progress and a Free and Appropriate Public Education.
- 10:30 – 10:45 Break
- 10:45 – 12:15 English as a Second Language requirements in New Hampshire
- 12:15 – 1:00 Working lunch, panel discussion and Q & A